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**VIA ECF**

Honorable James K. Bredar  
United States District Court  
for the District of Maryland  
101 West Lombard Street  
Baltimore, Maryland 21201

**Re: *United States v. Diaz-Hernandez, et al.*, No. JKB-16-0259**

Dear Judge Bredar:

I write to provide a status update in the above-captioned matter. The parties have discussed and believe that the trial in this matter should not take more than 2 weeks, or 10 trial days, to complete. We will, of course, continue to discuss the potential for resolution of the case short of trial and advise the court immediately if that is likely.

Should you have any questions or need any additional information, please feel free to contact me at (410) 209-4859.

Sincerely,

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